

Diane Jones - Fwd: Re: Collections Question

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Under 77-7-19 and 77-7-21, bail can be forfeited without an appearance if the offense is so classified by the Uniform Fine and Bail Schedule or for any Class B or less if permitted by the magistrate. Under 77-7-21, bail forfeiture is entered as a conviction and treated the same as a guilty plea. The statutes don't define what constitutes a bail forfeiture. We have treated receipt of a payment (full or partial) as a bail forfeiture.